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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire
Chief Clerk & Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: Application of JACABB Utilities, LLC for Approval of an Expansion of Its Existing Water Service Area to Include Certain Portions of Pickens County and Request for Approval of the Water System Asset Purchase Agreement with Crawford Falls Owners Association, Incorporated
Docket No. 2018-28-W

Dear Ms. Boyd:

The South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") does not oppose the filing submitted by JACABB Utilities, LLC, ("JACABB") requesting the approval of the expansion of its existing water service area and asset purchase agreement with Crawford Falls Owners Association, Incorporated ("Crawford Falls").

JACABB is currently authorized to operate water and wastewater systems under the jurisdiction of the Commission in Pickens County, as well as certain other counties in this state. The water service area for which expansion is sought (the "Proposed Service Area") is located in Pickens County and includes multi-family residences in the Crawford Falls Subdivision. The City of Clemson will provide the water via a master meter and will be responsible for the sewer and stormwater service. JACABB requests that it be allowed to provide water service in the proposed service area pursuant to the rates and charges set forth in its existing monthly rate scheduled as approved under 2008-697, Order Exhibit 2, in Docket No. 2008-173-W. Also, JACABB will be responsible for calculating and collecting payment from the individual

customers for sewer service and stormwater service provided by City of Clemson and billed with the invoice for the water master meter service. JACABB hereby requests these charges for sewer service and stormwater service be approved as a pass-through charge and requests approval of a monthly administration billing fee of \$4.50 to each homeowner and/or customer for the purpose of calculating, collection and processing the sewer charges and stormwater fees. JACABB further requests approval to disconnect water service for non-payment of these pass-through charges.

JACABB agrees to notify the Commission and the ORS within ten days after the closing date of the agreement with Crawford Falls.

Sincerely,



Jenny R. Pitman

cc: Stephen R. Goldie (via E-Mail)
Joseph Melchers, Esquire (via E-Mail)